

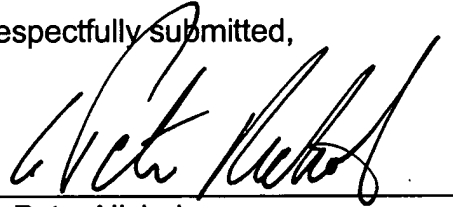
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Remarks

In response to the Advisory Action mailed October 9, 2003 in which the Examiner indicated that claims 12, 13, 15, and 16 are allowed, Applicants now cancel claims 1-11, 14, and 17-24 so that the application contains only allowed claims. Applicants reserve the right to present claim 1-11, 14, and 17-24 in a continuation application and are merely canceling those claims in the present application in the interest of expediting prosecution of the allowable claims.

If, for any reason, the Examiner feels that the above amendments and remarks do not put the claims in condition for allowance, the undersigned attorney can be reached at (312) 321-4276 to resolve any remaining issues.

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